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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR, ASAF

SUBJECT: CIVAIR: US FAA AIRCRAFT PRESUMED DOWN AT SEA

REF: 7FAM650, 422.2B; 10FAM521.7

FAA SABRELINER AIRCRAFT, US REGISTRY N-85, IS BELIEVED TO HAVE DITCHED AT SEA, APPROX 66 NAUTICAL MILES EAST OF RECIFE VOR (NAVIGATION AID).AIRCRAFT IS PRESUMABLY NAVIGATION-AID CALIBRATION PLANE, HAS CREW OF THREE.

WE WOULD APRECIATE EMBASSY ASSURING THAT BRAZILIAN AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED, AND THAT SEARCH-AND-RESCUE EFFORT HAS BEGUN.

AS THIS TELEGRAM IN TYPEWRITER WE WERE ADVISED BY FAA THAT BRAZILIAN AIR FORCE HAS BOATS OUT FOR SEARCH. TIME OF DITCHING WAS APPROX 1850 GMT. KISSINGER UNCLASSIFIED

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